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Record Votes: Six record votes were taken today. (Total—365)	

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and adjourned at 7:56 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Friday, November 12, 1999 for a pro forma session. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on pages S14590–91.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

OVERSEAS PRESENCE ADVISORY PANEL

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on International Operations concluded hearings to examine the Overseas Presence Advisory Panel report, focusing on the location, size, composition, and budget of overseas posts, after receiving testimony from Lewis Kaden, Chairman, Adm. William J. Crowe, Jr., USN, (Ret.), Member, and former Ambassador Langhorne Motley, Member, all of the Overseas Presence Advisory Panel.

PRIVATE BANKING

Committee on Governmental Affairs: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations concluded hearings to examine the vulnerabilities of United States private banks to money laundering, focusing on how they accept clientele, use shell corporations and secrecy jurisdictions to open accounts and move funds, monitor clients and transactions, and identify and re-

spond to suspicious activity, after receiving testimony from Ralph E. Sharpe, Deputy Comptroller of the Currency for Community and Consumer Policy, Department of the Treasury; Richard A. Small, Assistant Director, Division of Banking Supervision and Regulation, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System; Raymond W. Baker, Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C.; and Antonio Giraldi, an incarcerated witness.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the following measures:

S. Res. 216, designating the Month of November 1999 as "National American Indian Heritage Month";

S. Res. 200, designating January 2000 as "National Biotechnology Week.", with an amendment; and,

A committee resolution, expressing the sense of the Committee on World Trade Organization negotiations.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Thomas L. Ambro, of Delaware, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Third Circuit, Kermit Bye, of North Dakota, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Eighth Circuit, George B. Daniels, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York, Joel A. Pisano, to be United States District Judge for the District of New Jersey, and Fredric D. Woocher, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of California, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Ambro was introduced by Senators Biden and Roth, Mr. Bye was introduced by Senators Conrad and Dorgan, and Representative Pomeroy, Mr. Daniels was introduced by Senators Moynihan and Schumer, and Representative Rangel, Mr. Pisano was introduced by Senator Lautenberg, and Mr. Woocher was introduced by Senators Feinstein and Gordon Smith.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 46 public bills, H.R. 3290–3335; 29 private bills, H.R. 3336–3364; and 5 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 225–227, and H. Res. 373 and 376, were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H. Res. 374, providing for consideration of motions to suspend the rules (H. Rept. 106–465); and

H. Res. 375, waiving a requirement of clause 6(a) of rule XIII with respect to consideration of certain

resolutions reported from the Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 106-466). **Page H11952**

Guest Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the guest Chaplain, Rev. Ronald F. Christian of Washington, D.C. **Page H11856**

Fathers Count Act: The House passed H.R. 3073, to amend part A of title IV of the Social Security Act to provide for grants for projects designed to promote responsible fatherhood by a ye a and nay vote of 328 yeas to 93 nays, Roll No. 586. **Pages H11870-H11902**

Rejected the Scott motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Ways and Means with instructions to report it back to the House forthwith with an amendment that strikes section 101(d) and inserts language that prohibits employment discrimination by religious institutions that receive Federal funding by a recorded vote of 176 yeas to 246 noes, Roll No. 585. **Pages H11900-01**

Agreed to the amendment in the nature of a substitute printed in the Congressional Record of November 9 and numbered 1, as amended, pursuant to the rule. **Pages H11870-H11900**

Agreed to:

The English amendment that requires that selection panels include individuals with experience in fatherhood programs and adds language to encourage projects promoting payment of child support; **Page H11891**

The Cardin amendment that removes the limit on Welfare to Work funds for employment-related services to custodial parents who are below the poverty level and do not receive assistance from the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families program; and **Pages H11893-94**

The Traficant amendment that requires the availability of education about alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs and HIV/AIDS to each individual participating in the project. **Pages H11894-95**

Rejected:

The Mink amendment that sought to strike Title I, Fatherhood Grant Program and replace with the Parents Count Program (rejected by a recorded vote of 172 yeas to 253 noes, Roll No. 582). **Pages H11886-91, H11897-98**

The Mink amendment that sought to strike title II that creates Fatherhood Projects of National Significance; and **Pages H11891-93, H11899**

The Edwards amendment that sought to prohibit any funding to a faith-based institution that is pervasively sectarian (rejected by a recorded vote of 184 yeas to 238 noes, Roll No. 584). **Pages H11895-97, H11899-H11900**

H. Res. 367, the rule that provided for consideration of the bill was agreed to by a ye a and nay vote of 278 yeas to 144 nays, Roll No. 582. **Pages H11860-67**

Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Exempting Certain Reports from Automatic Elimination and Sunset: H.R. 3234, amended, to exempt certain reports from automatic elimination and sunset pursuant to the Federal Reports and Elimination and Sunset Act of 1995; **Pages H11902-04**

Wartime Violation of Italian American Civil Liberties: H.R. 2442, to provide for the preparation of a Government report detailing injustices suffered by Italian Americans during World War II, and a formal acknowledgment of such injustices by the President; **Pages H11904-10**

Stalking Prevention and Victim Protection: H.R. 1869, amended to amend title 18, United States Code, to expand the prohibition on stalking; **Pages H11910-13**

Conservation of Migratory Bird Ecosystem: Agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 2454, to assure the long-term conservation of mid-continent light geese and the biological diversity of the ecosystem upon which many North American migratory birds depend, by directing the Secretary of the Interior to implement rules to reduce the overabundant population of mid-continent light geese—clearing the measure for the President; **Pages H11913-15**

Water Resources Development Act: Agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2724, to make technical corrections to the Water Resources Development Act of 1999—clearing the measure for the President; **Pages H11915-16**

Honoring American Military Women for Their Service in World War II: H. Res. 41, amended, honoring the women who served the United States in military capacities during World War II and recognizing that these women contributed vitally to the victory of the United States and the Allies in the war; **Pages H11916-21**

Recognizing the U.S. Border Patrol for 75 Years of Service: H. Con. Res. 122, recognizing the United States Border Patrol's 75 years of service since its founding; **Pages H11922-29**

Competition and Privatization in Satellite Communications: H.R. 3261, to amend the Communications Satellite Act of 1962 to promote competition and privatization in satellite communications. Subsequently, the House passed S. 376 after amending it to contain the text of H.R. 3261. The House then insisted on its amendment and asked for

a conference on S. 376. Appointed as conferees: Chairman Bliley, and Representatives Tauzin, Oxley, Dingell, and Markey. H.R. 3261 was then laid on the table.

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Suspension—Proceedings Postponed on United States Marshals Service Improvement Act: The House completed debate on H.R. 2336, amended, to amend title 28, United States Code, to provide for appointment of United States marshals by the Attorney General. Further proceedings were postponed until Friday, November 12.

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Presidential Message: Read a message from the President wherein he transmitted his report concerning the national emergency with respect to weapons of mass destruction—referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered printed. H. Doc. 106–158.

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Meeting Hour—November 11: Agreed that when the House adjourns today it adjourn to meet at 2 p.m. on Thursday, November 11.

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Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate appear on pages H11856 and H11902.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea and nay votes and three recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H11867, H11897–98, H11899–H11900, H11901, and H11902. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10:00 a.m. and adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DOE—RESULTS OF ESPIONAGE INVESTIGATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Military Procurement met in executive session to hold a hearing on the results of the Department of Energy's Inspector General inquiries into specific aspects of the espionage investigations at the Los Alamos National Laboratory. Testimony was heard from Gregory H. Friedman, Inspector General, Department of Energy; and the following former officials of the Department of Energy: Federico F. Peña, Secretary; Elizabeth Moler, Deputy Secretary; and Notra Trulock, Acting Director, Office of Intelligence.

HOMEOWNERS' INSURANCE AVAILABILITY ACT

Committee on Banking and Financial Services: Ordered reported, as amended, H.R. 21. Homeowners' Insurance Availability Act of 1999.

CAPITAL FORMATION IN UNDERSERVED AREAS

Committee on Banking and Financial Services, Subcommittee on Capital Markets, Securities and Government Sponsored Enterprises held a hearing on Capital Formation in Underserved Areas. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Housing and Urban Development: Saul H. Ramirez, Jr., Deputy Secretary; and Xavier de Souza Briggs, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Office of Policy Development and Research.

GOVERNMENT WASTE CORRECTIONS ACT; DRAFT REPORT; IMMUNITY RESOLUTION

Committee on Government Reform: Ordered reported, as amended, H.R. 1827, Government Waste Corrections Act of 1999.

The Committee also approved the following: a committee draft report entitled: "The FALN and Macheteros Clemency: Misleading Explanations, A Reckless Decision, A Dangerous Message"; and a resolution of Immunity for Yah Lin "Charlies" Trie.

EUROPEAN COMMON FOREIGN, SECURITY AND DEFENSE POLICIES

Committee on International Relations: Held a hearing on European Common Foreign, Security and Defense Policies-Implications for the United States and the Atlantic Alliance. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

CONSERVATION AND REINVESTMENT ACT

Committee on Resources: Ordered reported, as amended, H.R. 701, Conservation and Reinvestment Act of 1999.

OVERSIGHT—MARINE AIRLINE CRASH SITES—NOAA'S ROLE

Committee on Resources: Subcommittee on Fisheries Conservation, Wildlife and Oceans held an oversight hearing on the role of the NOAA's fleet in the recovery of data from marine airline crash sites in the Atlantic Ocean. Testimony was heard from Capt. Ted Lillestolen, Deputy Assistant Administrator, National Ocean Service, NOAA, Department of Commerce.

PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF MOTIONS TO SUSPEND THE RULES

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, a rule providing that suspensions will be in order at any time on or before the legislative day of Wednesday, November 17, 1999. The rule provides that the object of any motion to suspend the rules shall be announced from the floor at least one hour prior to its consideration. The rule provides that the Speaker or his designee will consult with the Minority Leader